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ARISTOPHANES' "Clouds".

ZeuXIS, Herodes, and Parrhasius  
of Ephesus, painters.

423-405/4 BC

Darius II Ochus King of Persia

423 - 404 BC

~~Jerome~~

Darius II was king of  
Persia (and of Jews in  
Jerusalem)

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Ancient Comedy 423 BC  
by Greek dramatist  
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